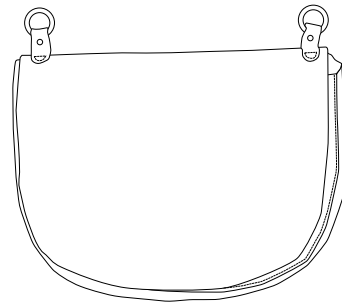
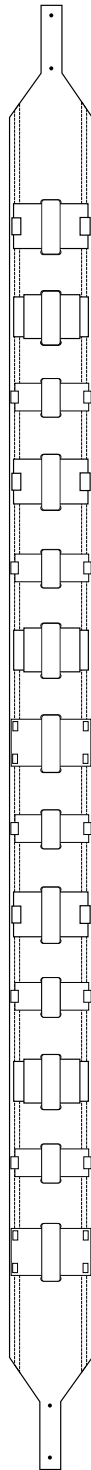
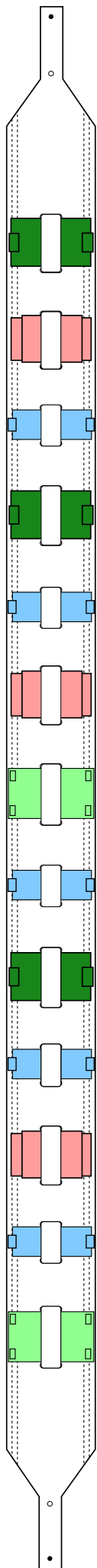


# Chewbacca - The Force Awakens - Bandolier and Bag Pattern Instructions





# Front

## Bandolier Strap

1. Cut out the main strap (pattern piece 1) following the solid line. You may need to cut it in two pieces if you can't find a long enough piece of leather. If you do that, make the cut under where a box will be and cut it at angle so you have more surface to glue on.
2. Cut out the holes where straps will be woven into the bandolier to hold the boxes.
3. Cut 3/4 in straps. These will be glued on the top in there areas indicated by the dashed lines. Like with pattern piece 1, if you can't cut a continuous piece, glue two together and position it so you can hide the seam under one of the boxes.
4. Use a stitch groover to cut a groove down the center of each strap you just glued on.
5. At both the front and back, attach the male portion of a heavy duty snap at the solid circle and the female portion of the snap at the outlined circle.
6. If you are going to be attaching your bandolier boxes with nuts and bolts, cut holes in the bandolier for the bolts to go through.
7. Cut out straps that are 3/4in wide and 7/8in wide. The length of the traps will vary depending on many factors (like the thickness of your leather, the dimensions of your boxes, etc.). You will be weaving these straps along the bandolier to hold the boxes. The length of the traps will vary depending on many factors (like the thickness of your leather, the dimensions of your boxes, etc.). The 7/8in wide strap will be on the bottom and the 3/4in strap will be on the top. Start by gluing the straps to the back of the leather on one end and feed it through the first hole. Put your first box on the bandolier and weave the strap over the box and then onto the back. Continue weaving for all boxes making sure to glue the straps at the other end. While weaving the straps, if you run out of length and need to join a new strap, make sure the join is on the back of the bandolier to hide it. When you get close to the half way point you will want to bend the bandolier so it is in the shape that you will eventually wear it. If you do not bend it like this the top straps will end up too short.

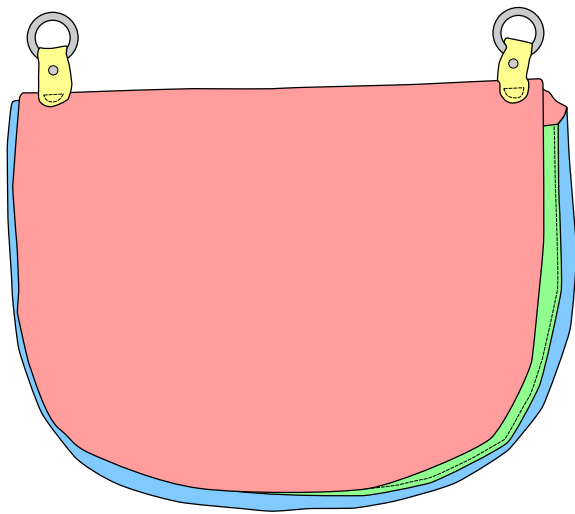
### Note:

The boxes in light green and dark green are the same boxes. The light green has the lid facing up and the dark green is flipped with the lid facing down.

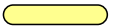
# Back

# Bandolier Bag

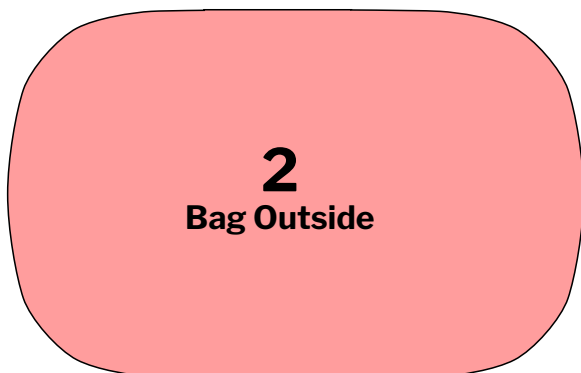
1. Cut out pieces 2, 3, 4, and 5.
2. Use a stitch groover to cut a stitching groove around the rounded edge of piece 2.
3. Use a stitch marking wheel and an awl, or a sewing hole punches to mark and cut stitching holes. Repeat for each of the long edges of piece 4. Also, repeat for the one of the rounded edges of piece 2 (using piece 3 as a guide for how far up to go).
4. Sew piece 2 to piece 4 using a saddle stitch.
5. Sew piece 3 to piece 4.
6. For each Bag Ring Tab (piece 5), fold in half, push the metal ring into the fold, and use a rivet to secure.
7. Mark placement for the Bag Ring Tabs, poke holes for sewing, and sew them on the bag in a small "D" shape.



**5** Bag Ring  
Tabs



**4** Bag Side



**2**  
Bag Outside



**3**  
Bag Inside